

**Ch/G Staff Meeting**  
**11 February 1959**  
**ACTION REQUIRED**

<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Action Required of Ch/G</u>	<u>Action Required of Divisions</u>
1	For information. Procedures for releasing reports would have to be checked out.	
2	O/Ch/G to assign tasks to personnel attending the AAG meetings.	
3		GPA personnel to peruse Winter Issue of <u>Studies in Intelligence</u> .
4	Ch/G to draw up GPA reply to questions regarding CIA Career Staff.	
5		Chief, D/GL, to check further on the urgency of early action on the IGV Meetings, and report back to Ch/G.
6		D/GC and D/GL to submit nominations as soon as possible.

MINUTES OF THE GEOGRAPHIC RESEARCH AREA STAFF MEETING, 11 FEBRUARY 1959

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PRESENT: Messrs. [REDACTED]

1. Distribution of UNCLASSIFIED Reports Outside the Agency

Chief/G reported that purely factual UNCLASSIFIED reports may now be distributed outside the Agency. Also, strictly factual reports classified FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY may be given to outside parties if it is to our net advantage to do so.

2. Exploitation of AAG Meetings for Ready-Reserve Listing

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Chief/G noted a suggestion of [REDACTED] that attendance at the AAG Meetings will afford an opportunity of obtaining prospects in the GS-7 and GS-9 category for inclusion in the Ready-Reserve Listing. Mr. [REDACTED] indicated that a plan would be developed in this matter following the selection of GRA people to attend the meetings.

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3. Studies in Intelligence

Chief/G called the group's attention to the latest issue of Studies in Intelligence and recommended that they read it. There are quite a few interesting articles, among which are several of the papers presented at the recent Melbourne Conference.

4. Questions Regarding CIA Career Staff

Chief/G distributed to the group a list of questions regarding the CIA Career Staff on which answers are desired by the Inspector General to assist him in his survey of the Office of Personnel. The group discussed the questions at some length. Mr. [REDACTED] will draw up the GRA reply based on the discussion.

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5. IGU Meeting in Stockholm

Chief, D/GL, reported that he had heard from several quarters that registration and reservations for the IGU Meetings should be made as early as possible. Mr. [REDACTED] will check on this further and report back to Chief/G. Mr. [REDACTED] noted that anyone going to Europe on their own could probably get official leave while attending the meetings.

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6. AAG Meetings

Chief/G reported that nominations for attendance at the AAG Meetings had been received from D/GG. He asked that D/GC and D/GL submit their nominations as soon as possible.